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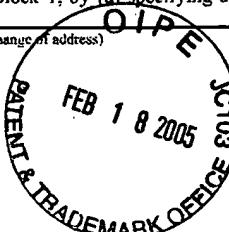
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**TITLE OF INVENTION: IN A METHOD OF MAKING GLASS, A METHOD AND DEVICE FOR THE CONTROL AND SETTING OF THE REDOX STATE OF REDOX FINING AGENTS IN A GLASS MELT**

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